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ON BRANTLEY HIGHWAY

IF YOU NEED GLASSES
It Will Pay You to Wait For
BARSON!

After all, it's the examination that counts. Correct, scientific examination of your eyes is THE ONLY WAY to determine whether or not you need glasses. Glasses, gained through years of practice, has given me a state-wide reputation. Among your relatives and acquaintances who had said somebody was "badly near-sighted," I have never heard one say "I'm not near-sighted." Because I specialize in this work only—scientific examination and proper fitting of glasses—you are assured of complete satisfaction.

DR. S. A. BARSON
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Quality Used Cars

We have a variety of clean USED CARS. For your choice the following for Sale or Trade: Just behind Elba Exchange Bank.

1942 BUICK ROADMASTER 4-DR. SEDAN
1941 CHEVROLET CLUB COUPE
1941 FORD BUSINESS COUPE
1941 FORD CONVERTIBLE
1942 CHEVROLET 2-DOOR STANDARD
1937 2-DOOR CHEVROLET
1934 1/2 TON CHEVROLET TRUCK

WE ALSO HAVE A NEW AND EXPERIENCED BODY AND FENDER MAN FROM GREENVILLE. LET US FIX YOUR BENT FENDERS NOW!

DEALING WITH YOU IS A PLEASURE. YOUR BUSINESS IS ALWAYS APPRECIATED.

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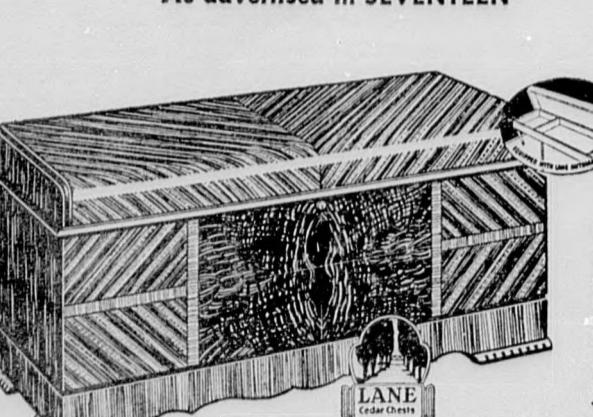
DESCO — PLYMOUTH — LIVESTOCK

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Make Graduation Her Shining Hour

GIVE HER A LOVELY Lane Cedar Hope Chest

As advertised in SEVENTEEN



Gift of Her Heart's Desire

Gifts...the girl knows what they want. Most all of them want a beautiful Lane Cedar Chest. And no wonder! This romantic gift does so much to make dreams come true. Choose one of our popular Lane Cedar Chests for your girl graduate. It will have all the exclusive features that make a Lane a lifetime possession. Come in, soon.

MISS GRADUATE CALL FOR YOUR MINIATURE CHEST
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Lindsey-Thomason Furniture Co.

— MAKERS OF HAPPY HOMES —
NORTH SIDE SQUARE ELBA, ALA.

PHONE 187

WHAT THE F.F.A. HAS
DONE THIS YEAR

The Elba chapter of the Future Farmers of America has approximately active members. During the absence of an Agent in the vocational Department, it has been impossible to carry on a full scale enrollment. But the F.F.A. members are regular to the Vocational Agriculture. We have, however, enrolled three new members because they had called in shown in the Fat Stock Show.

The officers for the chapter for 1946-47 are: President, Junior Griffin; Vice President, Tommie Boykin; Secretary, Fred Martin; Treasurer, Sam Whitman; Reporter, Joe Meacham; Sentinel, Jimmy Wise; Advisor, Mr. G. Alex Alexander.

We have had a vocational advisor until April 1, the boys have done exceptionally well to carry on among themselves with the aid of Mr. M. R. Meacham.

We were able to have a basketball team with which we came out third in the county competition. We are also proud to have the building of the Elba High School gymnasium completed at the inauguration of the Governor.

During the past year we have made \$304.00 which runs the treasury up to \$14,160.00. With this we plan to take a two weeks cross country trip this summer.

Mr. Meacham, Reporter

G. Alexander, Advisor

Cooking Ducks
Wild ducks can be raised successfully in a covered pan. Keep the outer temperature moderate (325 degrees F.). Allow 20 to 30 minutes per pound of birds, roasting over a fire. Do not salt earlier than tame duck is熟透了。 You can keep it moist by laying a few strips of bacon across the bird. Have the bird breastwise with the juice of an orange—a flavor that is especially pleasing with duck.

— Cooling Hint

Set your casseroles or fruit pie in a larger pie pan or cookie sheet before placing it in the oven. This will help to cool the dish faster than the pie is熟透了。

— Baking Hint
Light molasses has 65 per cent sugar. Use double molasses, half per cent more sugar, and in the blackstrap molasses the low grade is the product which is left after the sugar has been removed from cane.

— Shishlik Roast

To shrink woolen material at home, dampen the cloth by rinsing it in a damp sheet and letting stand. Then press it on the dry side with a moderately hot iron under a dry press. Do not press hard, as this will lend to the pan, which much easier to clean than the oven.

— Bed Room Suites
Solid rock maple; 4 pieces. Come see them. Brantley Furniture Company.

THE ELBA THEATRE WEEKLY PROGRAM

THURSDAY—Last Day
"HER KIND OF MAN"
—Starring—
Zachary Scott, Janis Paige
News and Comedy

FRIDAY, DOUBLE FEATURE
Peter Lorre
—In—
"DARK ANGEL"
—PLUS—
"LONE STAR PIONEER"
Serial and Comedy

SATURDAY—All Day
Zane Grey's
"NEVADA"
Starring
Bob Michum
First Chapter of New Serial
"HOP HANIGAN"

Saturday Late Show
"FLYING SERPENT"
Plus
Western and Serial

SUNDAY—MONDAY
Marx Brothers and Lois Collins
"A NIGHT IN CASABLANCA"

... All Kinds of Feeds . . .
WE ARE CARRYING A COMPLETE LINE OF
CHICKEN FEED DAIRY FEED
HORSE AND MULE FEED
HOG AND PIG FEED
— ALSO —
COTTON SEED MEAL AND HULLS

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Elba Gin & Warehouse Co.
NEAR DEPOT ELBA, ALA.

Reduced Prices On Furniture and House Furnishings

Look over this list and you will find some of the items you have been waiting for—and you can get them now at reduced prices. Come to see us for your needs.

Balmont Battery Radios, Complete \$32.50
Balmont Radios and Radio-Phonographs \$32.50 up
30 Gallon Electric Water Heaters \$36.50
Sofa Beds, Wine and Blue Velvet \$85.25 Value Now \$75.00
3 Piece Mohair Suite \$132.95
Gold Seal and Armstrong Linoleum Rugs \$169.50

9 x 12 \$10.95
100 percent Wool Rugs 9 x 12 \$65.00

Beautiful Dining Room Sets \$149.95

New Velvet Platform Rockers \$24.50

Beautiful Design Bed Lamps \$24.50

Walnut Large Poster Bed Suite \$83.50

Large Waterfall Front Suite, 40-In. Mirror \$169.50

100% Cotton Mattress \$18.50

Wool Innerspring Mattress \$18.50

Nanaco Innerspring Mattress \$18.50

Perfection Rest Innerspring Mattress \$18.50

Metal Gliders \$18.50

Chairs to Match \$9.95

— ALSO HARDWARE AND PAINTS —

Vaughan Furniture Co.
In the Page Building — Elba, Alabama

COME TO SEE US FOR YOUR — Automobile Parts

Combinations, Electric and Battery Sets

— HOUSE PAINT AND VARNISH —

Starring
James Warren and
Audrey Long

Selected Short Subjects

Wednesday and Thursday
Robert Young and
Ann Richards
"The SEARCHING WIND"

EVERYTHING YOU NEED FOR SPRING
HOUSE CLEANING

GULFSPRAY & Sherwin Williams Pestoy with DDT

Apply Pestoy with brush around walls and cracks to destroy pests of all kinds.

— AUTO ACCESSORIES —

We also have a complete Auto Repair Department, which is under the personal supervision of Mr. OLLIE D. KENNEDY, who formerly operated a shop in West Elba. He is an experienced mechanic and is well known to our citizens.

A good school is always a good drawing card, not only to new individuals to settle in our community. It would also be a source of pride to every Elba citizen to see to it that when their children get the best.

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— AUTO PARTS & SUPPLY —

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Easy Pay Tire Store
L. L. ENGLISH, Prop.
In Page Building, Elba, Ala.
Phone 240

Ice Refrigerators—the best
Coolers and Lockers,
Brantley Furniture Co.
Brantley, Ala.

Mrs. Joe T. Young visited
in Baker Hill last week end.

— JOB OPEN AT POST-
OFFICE AT ELBA —

The U. S. Civil Service
Commission announces open
competitive examination for
substitutes for permanent
special delivery messenger.

Atmospheric conditions
make it difficult to carry on
business along a post route.

The success of the program
will depend on the cooperation
of the postmaster and the
people along the route.

Miss Mabel Fleming of the
Calvary club was elected as
district director and Mrs. Will
Armon of Key Line was
elected as district secretary.

The district agreed to the
name of Elba for its name.

— ATTEND HAM FUNERAL —

Among the out-of-town
representatives who attended
the funeral services on
Wednesday were: Mr. and
Mrs. Ralph Mays and Ralph
Mays, Jr., of Birmingham, Ala.;
Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Carson and
Miss Ruth Ham, Stuart, Fla.;
Mr. and Mrs. Harris Winston,
Washington, D. C.; Mrs. Clark
Gibbs, Atlanta, Ga.; Mrs. Jim
McGinnis, Birmingham, Ala.;
Mr. and Mrs. John C. Clark,
Chicago, Ill.; Mrs. Charles
Chapin, Fla.; Miss Irene
Ham, Birmingham; Mr. and
Mrs. L. C. Powell and Mr.
Merton Powell, Troy, N. Y.;
Mr. and Mrs. Guy Morris, Mrs.
Sam Evans and Mrs. Harry
Row, Opp; Mrs. H. L. Martin
and Mr. Bill Martin, Ozark;
and Mrs. Lizzie Cox, New
Brockton.

— MEMORIAL SING AT
SAMSON SUNDAY —

The theme of National
Home Demonstration Week,

May 4-11, 1947, is "Today's
Home Builders."

Elba will have a demonstration

weekend as guests of Mr.
and Mrs. Haywood Bowers.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Tillman,
Doris and Fred Tillman, visited
in Jay, Fla. during the
week-end as guests of Mr.
and Mrs. Haywood Bowers.

— USE OUR EASY PAYMENT PLAN —

— Expert Watch Repairing
THE JEWEL BOX

"A MODERN TREASURE CHEST"
North Side Square Elba, Alabama

— PRELUDE PATTERN —

VENETIAN BLINDS
SIZES IN STOCK

24 In. x 64 In. 28 In. x 64 In.

32 In. x 64 In. 34 In. x 64 In.

36 In. x 64 In.

\$2.95
PER SQUARE YARD

— WINDOW SHADES —

75c - \$1.50 - \$2.00 - \$2.50

36 In. x 84 In. White or Ecru

CLOPAY DRAPES 98c

COTTAGE SETS 59c

— PRELUDE PATTERN —

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THE ELBA CLIPPER

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Misses Peggy Blue and Nina English, students at Alabama College, were the guests of their mother, Mrs. F. H. Murphy, and Mr. Murphy several days last week. They had as their guests, Misses Montez Cooley, Mary Daughtry, Virginia Mathis and Elizabeth England, also students at Alabama College.

Mrs. B. J. Stevens, of Enterprise, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. E. Dorsey.

Radio Service & Sales

We now have a complete supply of RADIO parts and are prepared to make over or repair any type Radio. We can sell you a New Radio.

Come in to see us today!

Fuller's Radio Shop

Next to Tally's Cafe

Phone 207

Elba, Alabama

SPECIAL PRICES!

A B RADIO BATTERIES \$5.05
14-2 ROMEX WIRE .5¢ per ft.
12-2 ROMEX WIRE .6¢ per ft.
6-3 ENTRANCE CABLE 27¢ per ft.
HOUSE PAINT, per gallon \$4.75

— ONE WEEK SPECIAL —

EASY PAY TIRE STORE

L. L. English, Prop.
Phone 240

Elba, Alabama

See These Used Cars

1 1942 CHEVROLET FLEETLINE
1 1939 CHEVROLET 2-DOOR COACH
1 1942 CHEVROLET 2-DOOR COACH
1 1937 CHEVROLET 2-DOOR COACH
1 1938 HEDSON TERRAPLANE COUPE
1 1941 FORD 4-DOOR SUPER DELUXE
1 1937 FORD PICK-UP
1 1941 FORD CONVERTIBLE

We also have a first class BODY AND PAINT man, from Greenville. Let us fix your bent fenders.

WE HAVE SOME GOOD SOUTH ALABAMA BROKE MULES, FOR SALE OR TRADE

We are closing at 1:00 P. M. on Saturdays. If you need any parts see Huglar or Albert.

L. J. Dismukes Motors

DESO TO — PLYMOUTH — LIVESTOCK
PHONE 203

Elba, Alabama



From the very beginning

YOU'LL TREASURE YOUR INTERNATIONAL STERLING

The fine sight of your own real silver is sure to bring a glow to your heart. And every day it gleams upon your table, your pride in owning the fine will increase.

Come in and see our beautiful International Sterling pieces to spend can still make your silverware dreams come true. Individual six-piece place settings for as little as \$25.00. The lovely pattern shown above is Scrivity.

The Jewel Box

"A MODERN TREASURE CHEST"

NORTH SIDE SQUARE

ELBA, ALA.

EXPERT WATCH REPAIRS: INTERNATIONAL SILVER

Sales Tip
By ETIENNE PARKINSON
McClure Syndicate,
WWF Features.

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News

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Western and Serial

SATURDAY—All Day
"ROLL ON TEXAS MOON"
Starring
Roy Rogers
Serial

SATURDAY — 4:00 P.M.
"STRANGLER OF THE SWAMP"

SUNDAY—MONDAY
Paul Muni and
Ann Baxter
"ANGEL ON MY SHOULDER"

TUESDAY—ONLY
"DICK TRACY"
Disney Comedy and
Two-reeler

Wednesday and Thursday
"ONE MORE TOMORROW"
Starring
Ann Sheridan and
Dennis Morgan

COMING SUNDAY
George Raft
"NOB HILL"
In Technicolor

Soaring Costs Balk Building by Cities Survey Shows Public Works Are Stalled Over Country.

Classified Advertising

MR. D. M. WISE HONORED
ON 66 BIRTHDAY

If you want to buy, sell,
trade, rent or locate
property, try us in. In this
column.

MR. MURRAY CORNWELL, sur-
vivor of the National Airlines
Inc., was jubilant over the
fact that he had been ex-
tricated from Lake City. The old
flying expert had been missing
completely worn out. New planes
would not take him, but Mr. Cornwell
had them ready so he was
able to get away.

At the present time he is back
to the desk. "The council meets next
week, but Mayor Howe has the final
say," he said. "Everyone here
wants me to stay, but I am
not willing to do so."

"Definitely," he said. "The clerk was en-
thusiastic. "Howe made such a
good speech, and I am sure he
will be re-elected again." He
was asked if he had any
advice for the town that was
recently shamed into the mayor's
office.

"Doesn't the money, though
does he?" Cornwell chuckled.
"No. He's still pretty strict, but
he is a good man, and I am
sure he will be re-elected again."

"Jerome? Jerome Howe?" Mr.
Cornwell said a little, tactfully he
was asked. "He's a good man, but
he is not as good as some as
you and I—but Jerome Howe and
I are good friends."

"Oh, Mr. Cornwell's smile was
steely. "Well, thanks." He turned
away.

In his hotel room he sat down to
dinner, munched his meal, and
then got up and went to the window.
He was still awaiting word from
the sheriff, who had issued an
order forbidding him to leave the
country.

"I'm not afraid to go, but I
don't know if this whining order was
the selfsame Jerome Howe from
which I have heard so much in
the past few days," he said.

"I'll get reservations, and head it out
as soon as possible. I am not
afraid to give up. After all, he is
about as bad as psychology."

The next morning Mr. Cornwell
had a telephone call from his
wife, who informed him of the
order. "That's that," he said.
"Well, Jerome Howe! Who's
been thought of? Boy, I haven't
seen you since we last met. No, I
did not big favor in taking
Miss Lorena Bushy off your hands."

"Yes, I hate him and I
guess I thought I was smart, but
I was not," he said. "That's that."

"Lorena? Was she a good
girl?" Mr. Cornwell asked.

"Lorena? She is a good girl,
but she is not as good as some as
you and I—but Lorena, she
should be ashamed to be seen in it. I
had to kick nearly everything I owned
out of the house before I
could start to earn a living again."

"Gosh!" Howe said. "You must
have been a good boy, after all."
"That isn't all," Mr. Cornwell
assured the reporter. "Mr. Cornwell
had a diamond ring made. Mr. Corn-
well declared fervently, "I have
returned to Elba to get my
diamond back. She returned my
diamond and I am still waiting
for her to return it. I have
not yet given up hope that she
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The figure represented a
considerable increase over
the 594 casualties of 1945.

The total state high school
student injuries amounted to
3,991 accidents, in which 1314 persons
were injured other than the
number killed.

Contributed by Hand
Hand paper making is still a
stable industry in Alabama. A relatively
modest number of people are
engaged in this industry as
it is carried on in 20 states or
more.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Harper,
John and Will Harper, Misses
May, Faimie, Lallie and Vivian
Harper, and Mrs. W. W. Sanders
spent the past week end
at their cottage at Sand-
y Point, Elba, joined by Fred Harper, Jr.,
and two young army friends,
Walter Porter and Wayne
Higley, who flew down from
Fort Bragg, N. C., to Tyn-
don Field, Fla.

"I certainly, certainly do," the
man said thoughtfully. "I
haven't thought about it."
"Everyone told me it was a fool
idea to go to Elba and buy a
living room rug that I wanted
so much. I was going to pay
what I wanted to pay, but I
wasn't going to pay enough for Lorena.
She threw my rug on the floor and slammed out
the door. I was best man at the
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The secretary smiled. "Oh, that's
Mrs. Howe. Isn't she charming?"

"Yes, sir," Mr. Cornwell said
with a smile, "I always wonder
whether Lorena married me on the
rebound. I know now that it was
for love. I was completely down
and out when I first met her. My
first home was one room in a cheap
boarding house."

"That's that," he said.

"Jerome? Jerome Howe?" Mr.
Cornwell hummed to himself
as he got his order blank ready.

Mayo Howe's secretary came in
and took the order.

A photograph somehow was turned
to that of Fred. Mr. Cornwell
had a brief case full of pictures
of his wife and son, and the
secretary said, "It's Fred."

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